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BURGLARS TAKE FANCY TO HOMES OF DOCTORS

Two Burglaries Reported in Addition to That at Barth Home

TAKE WATCH AND MONEY

Marauders Secure Valuable Time Piece at Residence of Dr. N. W. Patton

Burglars were evidentally impressed this week by the recent action of the doctors of Charleroi in declaring an increase in prices, and have profited thereby. One of the biggest hauls ever made in Charleroi by thieves was made on Monday night at the home of Dr. J. B. Barth from where nearly $600 in jewelry and valuables was stolen. The same night, it was learned today, entrances were effected to the homes of Dr. N. W. Patton of Washington avenue, where a gold watch belonging to Mrs. Patton was secured ,and at the home of Dr. A. O. Davis, on Fallowfield avenue and Third street, where several dollars in money was taken.

The same method was pursued in effecting an entrance to all three of the homes, showing that the burglars were the same in all cases. At the home of Dr. Barth, which it is believed was the first entered the lock was chisled from a back window, permitting the window to be raised. At Dr. Patton's the intent was apparently the same, but the night workers were saved their trouble, discovering a window on which there was no catch. At Dr. Davis' home they used the chisel in much the same manner that they did at Dr. Barth's.

At the home of Dr. Patton a thorough search was made evidentally through various rooms of the house. The watch of Mrs. Patton's was taken from an up-stairs room where Mrs. Patton kept it in a case. She did not look for the watch until after reading the account of the Barth burglary in Wednesday's Mail. She had noticed in the morning a suit of Edwin Patton's on the floor of a down stairs room and had thought of burglars, but failed to notice anything missing at the time.

The police are still working to locate the burglars. They have their suspicions and it would not be surprising if arrests should follow in a day or so. Thus far no burglaries in addition to these at the homes of the three physicians have been reported.

White Slave Traffic.

A lecture illustrated by slides on "The White Slave Traffic" is the attraction at the Palace Theatre tonight. The lecture is delivered by Mary Raffel, and is prepared from actual investigations made by some of the most noted socialogists in the country. It is a most timely topic, and shows the dangers that constantly menace young girls in every community.

Notice.

A poverty social will be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Ellis Allman. Come in rags. Everybody invited. 67-t2

Mrs. C. C. Wright's Sunday school class of the Baptist church will have a home bakery in Wycoff building Saturday afternoon. Pies, cakes, etc.

No Longer a Metropolis

Thriving Town of Beallsville Must Worry Along Without Telegraph Office

Beallsville is no longer to have a telegraph office. The Western Union Telegraph company which has had an office there for the past quarter of a century has decided to abolish the local office and Tuesday Harry Guttery of Pittsburg removed the switchboard.

Mrs. Dora J. Young of Beallsville who was local operator has accepted a position with the company in the Brownsville office. The Beallsville station was used principally as a test office although the telegraph business has been fairly good, as Beallsville is the only office between Brownsville and Washington. Many citizens of the community are loath to see the office abolished.

CARELESS? THEN LOOK FOR THEFT

Chief of Police Explains Why Many Robberies Occur

SHOULD LOWER BLINDS

In view of the numerous burglaries in town lately, Chief of Police C. W. Albright has issued a note of warning to the citizens in general cautioning them to take more precautions in protecting their premises and to exercise more care in the safety of money and valuables that are kept on the premises.

"No one should leave money or jewelry lying in open sight about their residence," said Chief Albright. "This only invites robbery and burglary. Also most people are careless about fastening their doors and windows nights and during their absence, I have known people here to go over to Monessene and other out of town places and leave their doors unlocked ,ready for any one to step in and ransack the house during their absence. It is a common practice for women in particular to leave their purses lying in plain sight on the parlor table or some other conspicuous place, where any one from the outside can readily see it if they should happen to be spying around.

"Another thing people should always do, and that is to draw their window shades at night after the lamps are lighted. A failure to do this affords the very best opportunity for crooks and sneak thieves to make a survey for night work. They can stand outside in the darkness and get the lay of the house through the windows, the lighted interior making

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BULL MOOSERS DROP FROM STATE TICKET

Whole-Soul Republicans to Take Place of Electors Who Today Withdraw Names-Committee Holding Meetings

After today the electoral ticket of the Republican party will contain the names of only good whole-souled, dyed-in-the-wool Republicans. This afternoon at Harrisburg H. D. W. English, elector-at-large on the Bull Moose ticket in Pennsylvania will file with thesecretary of the commonwealth at Harrisburg the resignations of the 27 Bull Moose adherents whose names appear in the Taft column. Following this action. the State Republican committee will meet at Harrisburg to fill the vacancies.

By the substitution of real Republicans for the Bull Moose followers the way will be clear for a clean-cut fight, which the Republican voters throughout the state have beeen asking for since the electoral tangle began. The Washington party will make up its electoral ticket and confusion will be prevented. Taft men will be on the Taft ticket and Roosevelt men on the Roosevelt ticket. Among those who will withdraw from the electoral ticket will be Goodloe H. Thomas, of Monessen who was named an elector-at-large.

PEOPLE PROTECTED IN THEIR BUYING

Inspection of Measures and Scales by County Sealer of Weights and Measures Means Honest Dealing

The visit this week to Charleroi of O. Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures, and his inspection of numerous weights and measures will serve as an excellent protection to the people. By intelligent buying they will discover the benefits of such inspections. Mr. Mikesell has not completed his work in Charleroi and will not have completed it until he has inspected every measure and every scale by which goods are sold.

When a measure or a scale is inspected and found up to standard it is stamped with a green label similar in size to an ordinary silver dollar. This label is plainly discernible. When Mr. Mikeseell has completed his inspection all the stores will have measures and scales bearing these labels, or if they do not will be subject to prosecution.

The protection to buyers will be that they can see to it that their purchases are measured or weighted or scales that bear the green stamp. Thee buyer will have a certain power in that way that will compel those who would be dishonest to give them what they pay for. Dented measures cannot be legally used, neither can milk cans be used for measuring out fruit or berries.

MOVING ELECTRIC SHOW TO BUTLER

Equipment Used for Charleroi Last Spring to be Used Again

Electrical equipment which was used here last fall at the electrical show conducted by the West Penn Electrical company has been shipped to Butler, where a show will be held. The equipment was stored in the store house of the West Penn company here during the winter. George Leith, superintendent of the Charleoi district is looking after the shipping of the materials.

TELEPHONE COMPANY GIVES GOOD SERVICE ON WORLD'S SERIES

Crowds watched the bulletin which were posted on the world's series from the window of the Mail office Wednesday. The bulletins are given by the Charleroi Telephone company, which is making an effort to get them from the field of play the moment the innings are completed through the eastern independent lines. The service is prompt and generally efficient. In transmission of only one score Wednesday was there an error. and this was one that was easy to make. It was of the score in the first half of the tenth the game was said to be over by the Pittsburg operators. causing a misunderstanding. This was quickly corrected. The final tie score caused some disappointment among local fans. As they had anticipated a Red Sox victory on the previous day, they looked for a New York victory Wednesday, and were sorry when the announcement of the game being called off was made.

Dancing School.

Tuesday night dancing school, Might's Auditorium. Class 7:30. Dancing 8:45. Wheeler orchestra. 64-t2

MRS. H. SWICKEY CALLED BY DEATH

Charleroi Woman Expires at Her Home Here After Short Illness

Mrs. Clara E. Swickey, aged 33 years and 3 months the wife of Henry L. Swickey, died at her home at 203 Lincoln avenue at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday night following an illness of some duration. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but the funereal will take place Saturday.

Surviving members of the family are the husband; three children, Harry M., aged 13, M. Ruth aged 11, and R. Dale aged 7 years. The parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bortmas, of North Charleroi also survive together with a brother and a sister at home; two married sisters, Mrs. Mollie McFeeley of North Charleroi and Mrs. C. Belfaux of Charleroi, and two brothers. James and Frank of Oklahoma.

AGED CALIFORNIA RESIDENT EXPIRES

John Gregg, one of the oldest residents of California, died at his home on Third street Tuesday. Born in West Pike Run township on October 23, 1829, Mr. Gregg was a carpenter by trade. He had been a resident of California for the past 18 years, the greater part of that time leading a retired life. He was amember of the Taylors Methodist Episcopal church.

Mr. Gregg leaves his wife who was Miss Sarah Price and two children, Mrs. Frank Cornell of East Pike Run township and Miss Ruth Gregg at home.

Funeral services were held at the Gregg home this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment was in the Taylor's cemetery.

The Winter Club

of Charleroi will hold their weekly dance in Might's Auditorium Thursday, October 10. Select. Wheeler's orchestra. 66-t2

GREEKS AWAIT CALL TO ARMS FOR THEIR LAND

To Establish Market House

County Seat Arranges Inside Stalls to Take Place of Summer Curb Market

Washington will conduct a curb market all fall and winter in the Washington Amusement company building. The market will be conducted much the same as the curb market was in Washington during the summer. Stalls will be placed along each side of the big room and also through the center. There will be aisles 12 feet in width between the side stalls and the ceenter.

The purpose of the market will be to provide farmers a chance to sell their products and people to get the freshest produce. It is stated that with the establishment of the inside market the curb market will be entirely done away with.

TO TAKE PART IN PARADE

Two Hundred Going From Here for Holy Name Celebration

SPECIAL CARS SECURED

The Charleroi delegation which will participate in the Holy Name parade to be held in Pittsburg Sunday afternoon will occupy a place in the honor division of the parade and will be one of the delegations that will get into St. Paul's Cathedral, where Bishop J. Regis Canevin of the Pittsburg diocese of the Catholic church will pronounce the benediction.

Two hundred men are expected to go from Charleroi to participate in the parade. They will travel to and from Pittsburg in special cars. C. R. Buchanan, division superintendent of the Pittsburg-Charleroi trolley line is in Pittsburg today making arrangements for the special cars. Roscoe and Fayette City combined will send 100 delegates. The parade will begin at 2 o'clock promptly and it is expected that approximately 50,000 men will be in line.

Pennants and Badges Here.

The pennants and badges which will be used by the Holy Name Society of St. Jerome's church in the big parade in Pittsburg Sunday have arrived. They are at the mortuary of M. T. Crowley akaiting distribution, and where the members can procure them. The indications are that the Charleroi delegation will be a conspicuous one in the parade.

Dancing School.

Saturday afternoon for children, 2:30. Might's auditorium. 61-t3

Four Hundred in This Community Ready to Leave Any Time

ANXIOUS TO REPORT

Patriotic Hellenese Well Drilled to Meet Emergency of Kind Facing Them

Four hundred Monessen Greeks and the few who live in Charleroi are anxiously awaiting word from Washington in regard to the Balkan war and are ready at a moments' notice to join their countrymen in their fight against Turkey. At Pittsburg and Wheeling Greeks are preparing to leave for the scene of war if they are needed.

The Monessen men are all well trained and hold weekly drills under a competent commander who states that the men are eager to cross the ocean and assist in the fight. They have appeared on several occasions in uniforms and are all able bodied men drilled in the various maneuvers for war time. The Monessen organization is divided into two sections half of whom will join the navy while the other half will enlist in the army.

At a meeting last week the Monessen Greeks signified their willingness to leave on a moments notice and the local commander has received letters from Gréek officials in this country ordering him to get his men ready for immeediate action. They now await word from Sofia, Bulgaria relative to war being declared. Four hundred men left Pittsburg last week and thousands of others have left various cities in the United States to join the Grecian army.

There is probably not more than a half dozen Greeks in Charleroi, all told. The shoe shine parlor on Fifth street next to Berryman's store is conducted by Greeks and the Busy Bee restaurant isalso conducted by Greeks. Patriotic and greatly concerned as to the welfare of their country, they are taking a deep interest in the reports from Greece and Bulgaria, and if their presence is demanded will go willingly.

SCHOOL FOR MINERS TO BE OPENED UP AT MONONGAHELA

Under the auspices of the Monongahela Young Men's Christian Association a mining school will be opened up at the Monongahela Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening. The course will be the same as that given students at the University of Pittsburg and the same instructor will be in charge of the work. Classes for foreign-speaking men opened Wednesday evening.

Rummage Sale.

The ladies of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a Rummage Sale, Thursday afternoon and Friday, October 10 and 11 at 317 Fifth street. 66-t2p

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LOCAL AGENCIES

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A BUSINESS MAN'S PLEA.

The Philadelphia Press says that John Wanamaker demonstrates at once his restored health and his patriotic spirit in his vigorous and well-reasoned appeal to the merchants and business men of the United States. He calls on them to give a loyal and hearty support to President Taft because his re-election is for the best good of the country. The National Committee should circulate his letter far and wide, for it is the best campaign document yet furnished to it. Along this line the Press says:

"The alternative to the election of either Taft or Wilson will be according to Mr. Wanamaker, "The whirligig administration of an unbalanced President in a star-spangled robe with archangelic wings. The Bull Moose party has no attraction for this great merchant and political philosopher. Hee characterized their new policies as "fantastic, un-American projects that jeopardize the nation's future." Why exchange for this, he asks our present politically assured prosperity?

"Theb usiness of the country is interested in the re-election of President Taft because it will keep the rising tide of prosperity, visible on every side from being checked or turned aside. The election of Wilson means prospective tariff disturbance, a period of uncertainty and unrest and of widespread calamity to our industries should the destruction of protection to which the Democratic party is pledged be carried out by the enactment of a "revenue only" tariff law."

Hard times, a depressed market and slack demand for labor are always damaging and usually deadly to the party in power, but those are not this year's conditions; quite the reverse. There is a rising wave of prosperity, a realization of good times at the present time all over the land, with the promise of still better to come. Then why vote with a party whose success will necessitate a change? A change for what? For adversity, stagnation and general prostration. That is the only change possible, as is admirably shown in Mr. Wanamaker's clear and persuasive discussion of the vital issues in the present campaign.

UP TO THE PEOPLE.

One of the benefits of the Charleroi Marketing Club that has already been achieved is the knowledge that the high cost of living may be materially reduced if each and every individual will make the effort to cut the corners and get exactly what he or she pays for. This has been demonstrated by the talks of Mrs. J. S. Flannery, who inspired the organization of the local Marketing Club, as well as the revelations of our county sealer of weights and measures.

At the meeting of the delegates of the Marketing Clubs already organized in Pittsburg recently, it was shown that there are 5,000,000 more pounds of butter in cold storage this year than last, yet the price of butter is expected to go to its usual prohibitive prices during the winter. It is the same with eggs. The egg production was greatly increased this year, according to reports, and the cold storage supply larger than usual, yet the fancy prices will prevail just the same.

The thing for people to do under these circumstances is to cut down their consumption of these commodities. By using oleomargerine, and making a vigorous kick against the senseless tax and color restriction on this product, the people can very materially reduce their living expenses by pursuing the same tactics all along the line.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

From the kind of gowns pictures show that women wore in the days of Cleopatra, the sheath gown of then had the chorus girls' bead costume of today backed off the map.

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Read it Rapidly.

There was a young fellow named Tate.
Who dined with his girl at eight-eight.
At this very late date
It is hard to relate
What Tate and his tete-a-tete ate at eight-eight.

—Exchange

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The 1920-model machines have not arrived yet, but are due in a short time.

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Why don't the typewhiter manufacturers take the hint and call their machines madels instead of Number so and so?

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It is hard on a town to have it published that it has several prosperous undertakers.

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"I'm the Progressive," roars the Colonel. "Gentlemen, I beg of you to be convinced that I am the Progressive." argues the Professor. "There is none of them that is the Progressive: I'm it," yells Debs. So it goes.

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What chance has the politicians when the world's series is on?

There is a chance that the California Normal school will have to put off the inauguration of Principal Hertzog until the world's series is definitely decided.

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Emma Goldman, the woman anarchist says that the New York police force "smells to heaven." Still we read last week of a woman kissing a policeman there.

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The New York Herald doesn't seem to take the Colonel seriously and the Colonel's friends are trying to stir up fire. The Herald calls him simply the Bull Moose candidate.

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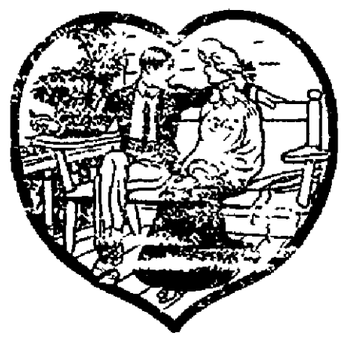
Not that it would make any difference from a political standpoint, but if Col. Roosevelt passes up Charleroi in his Monongahela valley trip, he will be stepped on good and hard.

Our Moving Picture Show



**They met at the shore by chance,
Love came at the very first glance;
For a time they were parted,
And each broken-hearted,
But contrived to complete the romance.**

Watch this space tomorrow

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"How about gas and water meters?" a woman asked O.Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures, at the meeting of the Charleroi Marketing Club here Tuesday.

"The inspection of those measures does not come within our jurisdiction,' said Mr. Mikesell, "but they ought to be officially inspected the same as all other weights and measures. That I think is coming later on."

Mr. Mikesell urged the Marketing Club members to take early action in petitioning t heir assemblymen and state seenator to vote and work for more stringent and effective laws concerning weights and measures.

"If you do not," he cautioned, "some of these big interests that are effected by the proposed regulations will be early on the ground and likely have your legislative members committed to vote against our measures for votes in support of some of theirs."

A traveling man tells a story of how one time he was making a tour of the mountain districts in Tennessee. His travels brought him up at a small town through which a railroad had recently been built, and the march of progress was evidenced by a moving picture show, which was established on the only street in town in a tent. For want of something to do in the evening the traveling man dropped into the show, which was a great novelty to the natives of the community, being the first show of the kind that had ever exhibited here.

As usual, without the aid of city electric light, the picture man had all sorts of troublee. After theshow had started it stopped suddenly and there was a long wait. The audience began to grow restless and the manager came from his booth to explain.

"Ladies and gents," said he, "the derned machine's busted agin! I thank you."

BACHELOR GIRLS GIVE SHOWER FOR ONE OF MEMBERS

After a brief shut down the Monessen tin mill has started up in full force. The entire suspension was for four days, including Sunday. During that time about 1,000 men were thrown out of work As a result of the temporary shut down it was reported over the country that the shutdon was to be for months.

TIN PLATE MILL RESUMES AFTER BRIEF SHUTDOWN

Members of the Bachelor Girls' club of Charleroi tendered a miscellaneous shower to Miss Merry Brightwell at her home in Monessen Wednesday night in honor of her approaching marriage to Bert Leonard of Waynesburg. Just the members of the club were present. An enjoyable time was spent. Miss Brightwell will be the fourth member of the club to wed.

Object Achieved.

Nell—Mrs Dash used to say she wouldn't marry the best man living Belle—Well, she has the satisfaction of knowing that she didn't.

Allies of Science.

Knicker—Think we shall ever talk to Mars? Bocker—No; if it was possible my wife would never have overlooked it.—New York Sun.

The art of a nation has its root in the national character.—H Taine.

POLITICAL SIDELIGHTS

(Communicated.)

The Roosevelt-Wilson-Debs organ tells the voters that there are not more than 1,000 persons in the United States who know what tariff means; that Henry Temple is one of them; that Temple is a protectionist; that here in Washigton there are many bankers and manufacturers who will vote for Wilson; that there is nothing in the issue known as the traiff, and that Temple is such a highly educated man that he would be an oracle in the House of Representatives on account of the scarcity of men who know in that body.

Much is said by the Washington Party adherents and friends of Mr. Temple, as to the great learning of the man. Who knows that Temple is more than ordinary in knowledge? From the statements of the Observer that there are not more than 1,000 wise men in the country, out of one hundred million, who shall we turn to to show us that Temple is one of them? Who are some of the 1,000 outside of Temple to whom the people may refer for a certificate as to Temple? How does the editor of the Observer know Temple is a wise man one of a 1,000 men?

If Temple is such a wonderfully wise man, why is he in Washington, Pa? Wonder he isn't in New York, or London, or Berlin, or in the employ of the Observer.

Coming right down to brass tacks, isn't it a fact that Henry Temple is no more than an average man among his neighbors around the 24th Congressional District? There are more than a score of preachers in Washington, and several hundred within the congressional district, besides a there are several hundreds, or thousands of men in the various walks of life, within the territory covering the district from which Temple would go to congress, who are just as well educated and know just as much about the world and things as he.

We care not what Temple's doctrines on the tariff are; yet we don't want to see a man who has a record for being one of those dangerous theorists on government, one who believes in the iniative, referendum and recall and various other socialistic doctrines of destruction.

We heartily agree that there are bankers in Washington who have no more knowledge of the wants of good government than the ordinary and average man. So far as the common run of those men called bankers, such as clerks, directors and cashiers and even presidents, we will concede that their knowledge of governmental subjects is very little. Who are those bankers who have formerly been Republicans and are going to vote for Wilson and Roosevelt? We know several of them ourselves, and we would gamble that they never read the Constitution of the United States, never read a single word on the subject of government, and do not have the first conception of what our representative form of democratic government means.

The unsupported allegation of the friends and admirers of Temple to the effect that he is the man to represent this district in congress, solely upon his great scholastic qualifications is no more of an argument than to say that he would make an expert blacksmith, or a qualified farmer, or a fit man to take charge of a large mercantile establishment, all because he has put in the greater portion of a long life among his books. Is it supposed that the United States Steel the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Standard Oil Company ,or any other great industrial corporation would for one minute think of placing Temple in charge of their business as a man qualified to fill the important positions now filled by others?

Henry Temple is a preacher, a college professor, and nothing else

The country has had too many political preachers. That has been the profession of such men as Roosevelt and Wilson and Bryan and not one of them have made good on a single subject of government. The country wants men who do things, and not preachers. We have had enough of preaching. We want men and not actors.

A little bunch of Temple's admirers nominated him for congress. The people of the district did not have a word to say. But in November the people will decide that they have no use for the preacher.

The "People."

In Washington, Beaver and Lawrence counties a little group of men held a convention, nominated each other for the office of Congress, and State legislature, then announced the organization of the Washington party for the district and respective counties. This group being the people, must of course rule

A Conundrum.

Prof. Wilson voted against Bryan in 1896 and Bryan forcibly and personally brought about the nomination of Wilson in 1912. There is a conundrum here, as in all Democratic affairs, and nobody knows the answer.

They Have the Itch-Phobia

If some of the Progressives in Washington county, who were formerly Republicans, office-holders or alleged Democrats, and who have been endeavoring for some years to obtain nominations and elections, are not elected to something pretty soon we may expect them to lead a movement for the organization of another party within another year.

Some Progressives.

Progressive! The boy who flouts his mother and disobeys his father thinks he is a progressive. The girl who refuses to listen to discipline and thinks she knows more about the world than her parents, goes out to prove it and falls by the wayside believes she is a progressive. The cleryman who challenges his own faith because he believes in higher criticism and a new interpretation made on his own account is a progressive. The disappointed office-seeker who turns from one party to another in search of a fat job proclaims that he is a progressive. Progress, what crimes are committed in thy name.

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"Now I have been restored to health and it has come from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Whenever I see a suffering woman I want to tell her what this medicine has done for me and I will always speak a good word for it."—Mrs. ROBERT BLANKENSHIP, Elliston, Va., Montgomery Co.

Was Helpless—Now Well.

Trenton, Mo.—"About two years ago I had female trouble and inflammation so bad that I was literally helpless and had to be tended like a baby. I could not move my body or lift my foot for such severe pains that I had to scream. I was very nervous and had a weakness.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped me to such an extent that I think there is no medicine like it for female troubles. I am up and able to do my work again and I give you full permission to publish my letter for the sake of other suffering women."—Mrs. W. T. PURNELL, 320-10th St., Trenton, Mo.

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Dispassionate judges will accord to the Taft administration the credit of putting in force more measures of a positively progressive character than any other administration since the civil war. Not only have such measures been numerous, but they have been of great and far-reaching importance. President Taft has labored indefatigably to serve the whole people, and by means of his broad experience and rare judicial mind and having at his command legal talen of the highest order he has put his progressive policies one after another into valid and practical legislation. This has been done without boasting and noise. Whether vindicated or not at the coming election, Mr. Taft's work will stand as a chapter of achievement as brilliant as it is meritorious.

We wish at this time to invite attention to two specific features of governmental progress One consists of the interstate commerce commission's investigation of the express companies, resulting in the recent report ordering the companies to reduce rates and institute sweeping reforms in various directions. The other is the enactment of the Bourne parcels post bill, one of the most useful measures ever put in force in this country under any administration. These two reforms, taken in connection, will exert a powerful influence for a reduction of the cost of living.

Mr. Taft has been in complete sympathy with the interstate commerce commission's inquiry into the express business, a process consistent in all respects with the administration's general policy of compelling big corporations to square themselves with the law and the public interest. Some of the more powerful corporations do not like that policy, but the public ought to indorse it. The enactment of a parcels post law brings to fruition a plan that found indorsement in the platform upon which the president was elected Through the action of the senate the Bourne bill, looking to a parcels service at the lowest practicable rates within a given territory, was substituted for the house bill with its flat rate provisions The measure as passed probably is not perfect, nor should the rates be regarded as permanent. The plan is experimental in certain respects but we believe the principle of the act is correct. One of the most important aspects of this measure is its bearing on the food situation It will give consumers and producers a new medium of direct contact. The interstate commerce commission's findings respecting the express companies also make special account of this problem The express companies are required to order their business in such a manner as to give quicker service and lower rates on food products

It is recognized by all economic investigators that one of the greatest problems related to the cost of living is that which has to do with the system of distribution. Express reforms and the parcels post will be of great value in promoting prompter and cheaper distribution of food products especially, and at the same time the scope of these measures is so comprehensive as to apply to all classes of merchandise. Production, too, should be greatly stimulated by the influence thus invoked.

We do not say that President Taft deserves the sole credit for these departures, but we cite them as features of an administration that some persons would have us believe is nonprogressive, when in reality they form a logical part of a great progressive epoch, which opened with the inauguration of Mr. Taft, and which, in the people's patriotism and good sense, will be continued during four more years of the same courageous and able leadership.

Extract from statement of Mr. Roosevelt, dated Nov. 8, 1904:

"On the 4th day of March next I shall have served three and one-half years, and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

"What Washington would not take, and Grant could not get, no man shall have"

MR. WILSON'S APOLOGY.

Afraid to Publish What He Said About Union Labor and Immigrants.

The so called Wilson defense bureau has issued a long statement to the effect that Woodrow Wilson's published opinions in his books on the alleged inferiority of European immigrants and American workingmen generally to the Chinese and favoring Chinese immigration, etc., have been "misinterpreted."

There is one ready and complete reply to misinterpretation, and that is to republish what Wilson said to let him speak for himself. This the Wilson defense bureau of the Democratic national committee carefully refrains from doing, and neither Wilson nor his apologists, therefore, can blame American workingmen in general and European immigrants in particular for concluding that Wilson meant just what his language meant when he expressed his bad opinion of trades unions and his preference for Chinese over Europeans.

Two Ways to View It.

Giles—Take two letters from "money" and "one" will be left.

Miles—Is that a joke?

Giles—Yes.

Miles—Well, I know of a fellow who took money from two letters, and it was no joke. He got twelve months in jail.

Where?

Artist—This is my painting, "Youth in the Melon Patch."

Critic—But where are the melons?

Artist—What a foiish question!

"The virtue of the sober second thought," mentioned by President Taft in his speech at Parramatta as being the possession of the American people is getting more and more in evidence.

No one accuses the Democratic convention in New Jersey of being unbossed.

PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION CLOSES OCT. 19 WITH HERBERT ORCHESTRA

Premier Musical Attraction For Farewell Week

Victor Herbert, one of the most popular orchestra conductors in America, and whose operas and other compositions have made him a lasting place in the affection of the music loving people of the country, is to conduct the musical attraction at the Pittsburgh Exposition during the closing week of the season, which is the week of Oct. 14. With Mr. Herbert will be his own great symphony orchestra, and combined the man and the organization present to the Exposition audiences one of the most pleasing and attractive of all the features of the present notable season at the Point as well as in all of its history. It will be a season of Herbert music and compositions, given under Herbert and with his own orchestra. It is a rare and unusual treat and promises to be a delightful experience for the tens of thousands who will gather during the last days of this Exposition.

The twenty-fourth annual season of the Exposition is showing itself to be one of the most successful in the history of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition society It has drawn larger numbers of people and has given to the people a higher class of exhibits and attractions than any prior year. The educational and entertaining exhibits have been broader in scope and more beneficial to the average spectator than other seasons because the exhibits have come from societies and commissions engaged in the great work of improving human conditions of life and have therefore appealed more strongly to the interest of the visitors. The Titanic disaster, one of the most remarkable spectacular productions of the year, has drawn thousands to Machinery hall. The war department display, the civic organizations and city development as shown have been making a profound impression. But above all has been the musical attractions, which have never been excelled. And as a crowning event Herbert and his great orchestra appear with the best and brightest of American music and rendered with American spirit and inspiration.

All of the programs for the Herbert series of concerts have been arranged with care and with the master hand of the Composer-Conductor plainly seen in them. Herbert thrills and charms and lulls his auditors and sways the thousands from one mood to another all unconsciously but delightfully. His series of concerts will be the most appealing of all and with the unusual attractions offered in addition the final week at the Exposition bids fair to be the greatest of a great season in point of attendance and in the features that absorb interest The Exposition closes for the season on Saturday evening, Oct. 19.

The Other Side.

"Do you think a little learning is a dangerous thing?"

"Possibly But it isn't half so dangerous as the same amount of ignorance."—Detroit Free Press.

Obvious.

Bessie—Wonder if Maude knows that we are looking at her new gown? Jessie—Certainly What do you suppose she is walking down this street for?—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Softening His Joy.

Client—So the jury gave me $1,000? That's great, eh? Lawyer—Yes, my boy. You don't know how badly I needed it.—Life.

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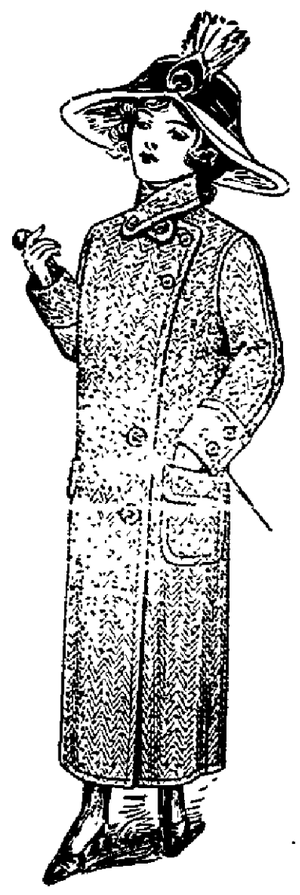

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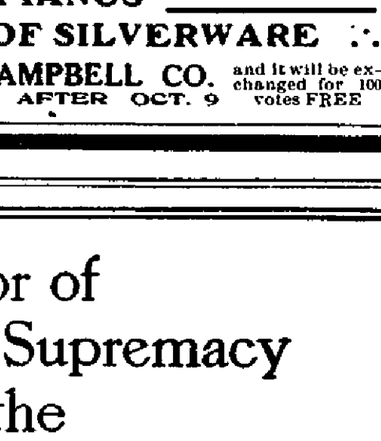

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FLOATING A TOWN AWAY.

Story of the Origin of Commercial Street in Provincetown.

Commercial street in Provincetown had an origin in keeping with its present nautical air and appeal to the imagination. The town originally stood on the spit of sand far out across the harbor, where the lighthouse now is. Many years ago the government bought Provincetown, houses and all in order to protect the harbor from the threatening sea. The Provincetownians went to the government people and asked what they were going to do with the houses.

"Pull 'em down, of course," said the government.

"Can't we have 'em?" inquired the late owners.

"Sure," replied the government, "if you'll take 'em away."

"Sure!" echoed the Provincetownians.

Old wreckers that they were, they applied their technic to the problems of house moving. They bulkheaded their dwellings up, necklaced empty casks about them in the way of life preservers, and one sunny morning the village of Provincetown, true to its maritime traditions, set sail, schoolhouse and all, and came floating gayly across the harbor to where it now stands. Near the railway track today they point out a certain store as the original seafaring schoolhouse.—Metropolitan Magazine.

THE CURIOUS SNAIL.

This Creature Can Live Without Air, Water or Nourishment.

While the snail has lungs, heart and a general circulation and is in every respect an air breathing creature, it can nevertheless exist indefinitely without inhaling the least breath of air, the element that is usually considered the essential to existence in all creatures supplied with lungs.

"To all organized creatures," said Leppert, "the removal of oxygen, water, nourishment and heat causes death to ensue." When that statement was made Leppert did not appear to consider the snail as one among the great host of "organized beings," for experiments by Spallanzani have proved that any or all the usual life conditions can be removed in the case of the snail without terminating its existence or in any way impairing its functions.

The common snail retreats into his shell on the approach of frosty weather, and the opening or mouth of its shell is hermetically sealed by a secretion which is of a silky texture and absolutely impervious to air and water. In this condition it is plain that it is deprived of three of the four elements of life mentioned above—air, water and nourishment.—Harper's Weekly.

Statue With Umbrella.

Some poor art is to be seen in this country in the shape of statues dedicated to the memory of great men, but no American enormity in this line quite equals that which was perpetrated by an English sculptor for the town of Reading. When the fellow townsmen of a certain George Palmer of that place decided to honor his memory they determined upon a bronze statue of Palmer, which should be not merely a portrait as to features, but a correct presentment of him as he appeared among them every day. Accordingly, the stranger in Reading is startled by the most unconventional of statues, with every crease and wrinkle of the homely attire of the original reproduced. To complete the effect the statue is bareheaded, with silk hat and umbrella in hand. It is thought that this is the only instance in which the necessary but not entirely beautiful umbrella has been reproduced in bronze.—New York Sun.

He Fooled Her.

"If you were asked to get ready to start next Thursday on a long journey do you think you could do so?" asked her rich employer, who was a widower.

"Oh, I—much would depend upon the kind of journey it was to be," she replied.

"I mean a pleasant journey—a journey that would last for a month or more."

"And should I have company on the journey?"

"Well, I hadn't thought of that. No, I don't believe you would. I should expect you to go alone."

"Then I don't believe I could get ready," she said turning to her typewriter and making four mistakes in the first line of the letter she had begun.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Melody Becomes Malady.

That persons have very diverse ideas and tastes in music was exemplified in an incident at a pupils' vocal recital lately. A young woman was having quite a struggle with a song and one woman in the audience said to her companion:

"Isn't that a beautiful melody?"

The other looked bored and said:

"It sounds more like a malady to me."—St. Louis Post Dispatch

Making Her Comfortable.

Host's Youngest Don't your shoes feel very uncomfortable when you walk, Mrs Newsryche? Mrs Newsryche Dear me, what an extraordinary question for you to ask, child? Yours are only too pa said the other day would come into your money as soon as you are too big for your boots

In the Hall of Fame.

"His father is in the hall of fame."

"Why, I didn't know the old gentleman was dead."

"Have to be dead to be in there?"

"Sure."

"Well, he is only in there dusting the busts."

A LITERARY RIDDLE.

Who Was It Wrote the Tragedy of "Troilus and Cressida?"

Andrew Lang has just propounded a puzzle in circumstantial evidence "Who," he asks, "wrote 'Troilus and Cressida?'" You may answer, as you please, Shakespeare or Bacon. If you answer Bacon, Andrew Lang comes back with the query, "Would Bacon have said that Aristotle lived before the Trojan war?" Bacon was too learned a man to make such a mistake, which would be as bad as placing Abraham Lincoln among the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

If you answer Shakespeare, Andrew Lang shoots another query at you: "The author makes Ulysses and Achilles quote 'an author' and discuss a pretty long and strange passage from that author, who was Plato. How could Shakespeare have read Plato?" For Shakespeare knew no Greek and in his day Plato had not yet been translated into English.

It is quite conceivable that Shakespeare might imagine that Plato and Aristotle lived many centuries before Homer, but it is inconceivable that the erudite Bacon should fall into such an error.

Andrew Lang does not pretend to solve the riddle. He frankly says, "I give it up."—New York World.

RISKY POSTAL SERVICE.

In Russia the Government Opens All Suspicious Packages.

Our own service of mails is well organized. There is little doubt in the mind of the average person that when he posts a letter it will reach its destination.

But in other lands he might well fear for its safety. In Russia, for instance, any letter or parcel that is regarded with suspicion is immediately opened and its contents noted. A clever machine gums it up again, so that the recipient does not know that it has been tampered with.

In Lapland the mails are carried in sledges drawn by reindeers. In the wilds of the Caucasus the postman holds a post of danger. He must be protected against brigands and against the weather, for he often has to climb mountains more than 12,000 feet high.

Asiatic Russia, which is apt to be marshy, has the buffalo post, and, of course, the progress made is very slow. Buffaloes are more powerful than oxen, and they are also used in Siberia for carrying the mail.

Other postmen in foreign lands are the swimming postman of India and the skiing letter carrier of the Andes. For the latter place the Argentine government specially imports Norwegians.—Exchange.

Mexico's Smoking Mountain.

In 1897 I climbed two volcanoes in Mexico, Popocatepetl, or "the smoking mountain," about 17,800 feet, and Orizaba, the former the most famous because within view from Mexico City and thus a source of especial pride and admiration to the inhabitants, who have been loath to believe that any other of their mountains could be higher. Popo has a really splendid crater about half a mile across and 1,000 feet deep. The walls are generally vertical, but in one or two places it is possible to descend. When workers are engaged in collecting sulphur machinery is used to hoist them up and down. From Popo's summit there is a glorious prospect, not alone of the immense crater, but of the beautiful "White Lady" (Iztaccihuatl) reclining a thousand feet below, of Orizaba on the far horizon and of the charming valley of Mexico.—Annie S. Peck in Christian Herald.

Wellington's Integrity.

The Duke of Wellington was noted for his rigid integrity. Here is an instance which occurred in reference to his large estate. Some farm adjoining his lands was for sale, and his agent negotiated for him for the purchase. Having concluded the business, he went to the duke and told him he had made a capital bargain. "What do you mean?" asked the duke. "Why, your grace, I have got the farm for so much, and I know it to be worth at least so much more." "Are you quite sure of that?" "Quite sure, your grace, for I have carefully surveyed it." "Very well, then; pay the gentleman from me the balance between what you have already given and the real value of the estate."

Strong Circumstantial Evidence.

A young wife was in tears a few mornings ago when her mother called. When asked what was the matter she replied that her husband was out late the night before and had been to a drinking party.

"What makes you think he had been to a drinking party?" asked the mother.

"He came home," sobbed the young wife, "wearing a phonograph horn for a hat."—Kansas City Star.

More Careful Now.

The young wife had given her husband a dance. "You've improved wonderfully, Jack," she said as they sat down. "Don't you remember how you used to tear my dress?"

"Yes," he replied. "I wasn't buying them then."—Boston Transcript.

Barks.

The class in natural history being asked the difference between a dog and a tree, the head boy answered: "A tree is covered with bark while a dog seems to be lined with it."

Noisy Sleep.

Hub (angrily): How—What do you mean by waking me out of sound sleep? Wife: Because the sound was too distressing.—Boston Transcript.

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Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites its readers to hand in notes of such. Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

Mrs. C. S. Bliss of Washington avenue has returned from a visit with relatives at Rochester.

Mrs. J. Frew has gone to Connellsville to visit.

Mrs. Kate Leyda has gone to Uniontown to visit.

Wesley Henry has returned from a vacation visit in various points of Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cornell and daughter spent Wednesday in Pittsburg.

Miss Jessie Everhart visited Miss Lulu Trew in California Wednesday night.

Mrs. A. J. Hormell has returned to her home in Astabula, Ohio, after a visit here at the home of her father B. L. Parsons.

R. D. Liddell, of Montreal, Can., is spending a few days in Charleroi visiting friends. Mr. Liddell is a hockey player of note, and played with the D. A. C. team of Pittsburg five years ago.

The ladies of the Charleroi Turn Verein will give a social dance in the hall on Saturday evening. The affair is for members only, and is not public. It is one of the pleasant social diversions which the society gives from time to time for the recreation of the members and their families during the fall and winter social season.

Mrs. Pauline Mason of Brownsville is here today to visit her daughter, Mrs. William Milliken.

W. H. Milliken transacted buiness in Brownsville today.

Mrs. George S. Might and son Fremont have gone to Scottdale to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Holyfield and mother Mrs. S. Couchenour visited friends in Donora today.

Mrs. Hiram Hannen and daughter Miss Ruth spent today in Donora visiting friends.

CARELESS? THEN LOOK FOR THEFT

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everything plain while they themselves are invisible. A survey of the dining room in particular while the family is at the evening meal is particularly valuable to crooks, because the whole family is usually assembled, and the would-be burglar can note the number, how many men there are, and size up the situation as to which are likely to have the most money with them or about their rooms. Very often money is taken out and counted or pay envelopes divided at the evening meal, which may be observed by an outsider if the shades are not drawn.

"If people would take more precautions it would materially reduce the number of attempts at burglary. As a rule thieves do not care to venture into unknown territory, and they do not so often molest houses about which they know nothing, or how many inmates there may be inside. The police here cannot patrol all parts of the town at once, and it is perfectly easy for a couple of crooks to operate safely by watching the policeman on his rounds."

Chief Albright and his force are exercising unusual vigilance and are keeping close tab on all suspicious characters that are about town. Some extra precautions on the part of the residents will discourage these midnight forays which are being pulled off because of the easy facilities afforded by lack of precautions.

LOVER

Miss Margaret Hyatt who is attending high school at Brownsville spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Carson entertained a large crowd of young folks at a party at their home Saturday evening.

A. J. Shutt of Charleroi was a business caller here Saturday.

Miss Helen Sphar who is attending school at the California Normal spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Saumel Sphar.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Duvall spent Sunday at the home of T. R. Duvall.

Samuel Morris and family near Garwood spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Curt Pitzer.

Adrah daughter of I. N. Morris is ill.

Mrs. Frank Hopewell has returned home from a few days' visit with her daughter Mrs. Jesse Lewis near Beallsville.

Miss Kate Mancha and Perry Morrow of Scenery Mill were Sunday guests of their cousin, Mrs. I. E. Morris.

Mrs. Laura Dickey and daughters, Misses Mary and Emaline and Misses Alice and Edna Jacobs near Curtin school house and Miss Vada Rider spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coulter.

Blaine Duvall, who has been ill of fever but had so far recoveered as to be able to be out was taken ill again Tuesday and is now in bed again but it is hoped it will only be for a few days.

You May Talk to One Man

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WANTED—Boy between 15 and 17 years old to learn drug business. Good wages. Apply Brown's Pharmacy, Belle Vernon, Pa. 61-tf

WANTED—At once, woman to take charge of the cleaning in Theatre. Good wages. Apply Mail. 59-tf

FOR SALE—Trespass signs. Prepared according to law, and contain copy of trespass law. Call at Mail office. 318-tf

FOR RENT—Nice light and airy furnished room. Good locality. Apply XX Mail office. 92tfp

WANTED—Young lady for office work. Prefer one living in Charleroi. Make application in own hand-writing and send to S. P., Mail office. 64tf

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BURGLARS TAKE FANCY TO HOMES OF DOCTORS

Two Burglaries Reported in Addition to That at Barth Home

TAKE WATCH AND MONEY

Marauders Secure Valuable Time Piece at Residence of Dr. N. W. Patton

Burglars were evidentally impressed this week by the recent action of the doctors of Charleroi in declaring an increase in prices, and have profited thereby One of the biggest hauls ever made in Charleroi by thieves was made on Monday night at the home of Dr. J. B. Barth from where nearly $600 in jewelry and valuables was stolen. The same night, it was learned today, entrances were effected to the homes of Dr N. W. Patton of Washington avenue, where a gold watch belonging to Mrs. Patton was secured ,and at the home of Dr. A. O. Davis, on Fallowfield avenue and Third street, where several dollars in money was taken.

The same method was pursued in effecting an entrance to all three of the homes, showing that the burglars were the same in all cases. At the home of Dr. Barth, which it is believed was the first entered the lock was chisled from a back window, permitting the window to be raised. At Dr. Patton's the intent was apparently the same, but the night workers were saved their trouble, discovering a window on which there was no catch. At Dr. Davis' home they used the chisel in much the same manner that they did at Dr. Barth's.

At the home of Dr. Patton a thorough search was made evidentally through various rooms of the house. The watch of Mrs Patton's was taken from an up-stairs room where Mrs. Patton kept it in a case. She did not look for the watch until after reading the account of the Barth burglary in Wednesday's Mail. She had noticed in the morning a suit of Edwin Patton's on the floor of a down stairs room and had thought of burglars, but failed to notice anything missing at the time.

The police are still working to locate the burglars. They have their suspicions and it would not be surprising if arrests should follow in a day or so. Thus far no burglaries in addition to these at the homes of the three physicians have been reported.

White Slave Traffic.

A lecture illustrated by slides on "The White Slave Traffic" is the attraction at the Palace Theatre tonight. The lecture is delivered by Mary Raffel, and is prepared from actual investigations made by some of the most noted socialogists in the country. It is a most timely topic, and shows the dangers that constantly menace young girls in every community.

Notice.

A poverty social will be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Ellis Allman. Come in rags. Everybody invited 67-t2

Mrs. C. C. Wright's Sunday school class of the Baptist church will have a home bakery in Wycoff building Saturday afternoon. Pies, cakes, etc.

No Longer a Metropolis

Thriving Town of Beallsville Must Worry Along Without Telegraph Office

Beallsville is no longer to have a telegraph office. The Western Union Telegraph company which has had an office there for the past quarter of a century has decided to abolish the local office and Tuesday Harry Guttery of Pittsburg removed the switchboard.

Mrs. Dora J. Young of Beallsville who was local operator has accepted a position with the company in the Brownsville office The Beallsville station was used principally as a test office although the telegraph business has been fairly good, as Beallsville is the only office between Brownsville and Washington. Many citizens of the community are loath to see the office abolished.

CARELESS? THEN LOOK FOR THEFT

Chief of Police Explains Why Many Robberies Occur

SHOULD LOWER BLINDS

In view of the numerous burglaries in town lately, Chief of Police C. W. Albright has issued a note of warning to the citizens in general cautioning them to take more precautions in protecting their premises and to exercise more care in the safety of money and valuables that are kept on the premises.

"No one should leave money or jewelry lying in open sight about their residence," said Chief Albright. "This only invites robbery and burglary. Also most people are careless about fastening their doors and windows nights and during their absence, I have known people here to go over to Monessene and other out of town places and leave their doors unlocked ,ready for any one to step in and ransack the house during their absence. It is a common practice for women in particular to leave their purses lying in plain sight on the parlor table or some other conspicuous place, where any one from the outside can readily see it if they should happen to be spying around.

"Another thing people should always do, and that is to draw their window shades at night after the lamps are lighted A failure to do this affords the very best opportunity for crooks and sneak thieves to make a survey for night work. They can stand outside in the darkness and get the lay of the house through the windows, the lighted interior making

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BULL MOOSERS DROP FROM STATE TICKET

Whole-Soul Republicans to Take Place of Electors Who Today Withdraw Names-Committee Holding Meetings

After today the electoral ticket of the Republican party will contain the names of only good whole-souled, dyed-in-the-wool Republicans. This afternoon at Harrisburg H. D. W. English, elector-at-large on the Bull Moose ticket in Pennsylvania will file with thesecretary of the commonwealth at Harrisburg the resignations of the 27 Bull Moose adherents whose names appear in the Taft column. Following this action, the State Republican committee will meet at Harrisburg to fill the vacancies.

By the substitution of real Republicans for the Bull Moose followers the way will be clear for a clean-cut fight, which the Republican voters throughout the state have beeen asking for since the electoral tangle begun. The Washington party will make up its electoral ticket and confusion will be prevented. Taft men will be on the Taft ticket and Roosevelt men on the Roosevelt ticket. Among those who will withdraw from the electoral ticket will be Goodloe H. Thomas, of Monessen who was named an elector-at-large.

PEOPLE PROTECTED IN THEIR BUYING

Inspection of Measures and Scales by County Sealer of Weights and Measures Means Honest Dealing

The visit this week to Charleroi of O. Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures, and his inspection of numerous weights and measures will serve as an excellent protection to the people. By intelligent buying they will discover the benefits of such inspections. Mr. Mikesell has not completed his work in Charleroi and will not have completed it until he has inspected every measure and every scale by which goods are sold.

When a measure or a scale is inspected and found up to standard it is stamped with a green label similar in size to an ordinary silver dollar. This label is plainly discernible. When Mr. Mikeseell has completed his inspection all the stores will have measures and scales bearing these labels, or if they do not will be subject to prosecution.

The protection to buyers will be that they can see to it that their purchases are measured or weighted or scales that bear the green stamp Thee buyer will have a certain power in that way that will compel those who would be dishonest to give them what they pay for. Dented measures cannot be legally used, neither can milk cans be used for measuring out fruit or berries.

MOVING ELECTRIC SHOW TO BUTLER

Equipment Used for Charleroi Last Spring to be Used Again

Electrical equipment which was usec here last fall at the electrical show conducted by the West Penn Electrical company has been shipped to Butler, where a show will be held The equipment was stored in the store house of the West Penn company here during the winter. George Leith, superintendent of the Charleoi district is looking after the shipping of the materials.

TELEPHONE COMPANY GIVES GOOD SERVICE ON WORLD'S SERIES

Crowds watched the bulletin which were posted on the world's series from the window of the Mail office Wednesday. The bulletins are given by the Charleroi Telephone company, which is making an effort to get them from the field of play the moment the innings are completed through the eastern independent lines. The service is prompt and generally efficient. In transmission of only one score Wednesday was there an error, and this was one that was easy to make. It was of the score in the first half of the tenth the game was said to be over by the Pittsburg operators, causing a misunderstanding. This was quickly corrected. The final tie score caused some disappointment among local fans. As they had anticipated a Red Sox victory on the previous day, they looked for a New York victory Wednesday, and were sorry when the announcement of the

Dancing School.

Tuesday night dancing school, Might's Auditorium. Class 7:30. Dancing 8:45. Wheeler orchestra. 64-t2

MRS. H. SWICKEY CALLED BY DEATH

Charleroi Woman Expires at Her Home Here After Short Illness

Mrs. Clara E. Swickey, aged 33 years and 3 months the wife of Henry L Swickey, died at her home at 203 Lincoln avenue at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday night following an illness of some duration. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but the funereal will take place Saturday.

Surviving members of the family are the husband; three children, Harry M., aged 13, M. Ruth aged 11, and R. Dale aged 7 years. The parents Mr and Mrs. Albert Bortmas, of North Charleroi also survive together with a brother and a sister at home; two married sisters, Mrs. Mollie McFeeley of North Charleroi and Mrs. C. Belfaux of Charleroi, and two brothers, James and Frank of Oklahoma.

AGED CALIFORNIA RESIDENT EXPIRES

John Gregg, one of the oldest residents of California, died at his home on Third street Tuesday. Born in West Pike Run township on October 23, 1829, Mr. Gregg was a carpenter by trade. He had been a resident of California for the past 18 years, the greater part of that time leading a retired life. He was amember of the Taylors Methodist Episcopal church

Mr. Gregg leaves his wife who was Miss Sarah Price and two children, Mrs Frank Cornell of East Pike Run township and Miss Ruth Gregg at home.

Funeral services were held at the Gregg home this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment was in the Taylor's

The Winter Club

of Charleroi will hold their weekly dance in Might's Auditorium Thursday, October 10. Select. Wheeler's orchestra. 66-t2

GREEKS AWAIT CALL TO ARMS FOR THEIR LAND

To Establish Market House

County Seat Arranges Inside Stalls to Take Place of Summer Curb Market

Washington will conduct a curb Washington Amusement company building. The market will be conducted much the same as the curb market was in Washington during the summer Stalls will be placed along each side of the big room and also through the center. There will be aisles 12 feet in width between the side stalls and the ceenter.

The purpose of the market will be to provide farmers a chance to sell their products and people to get the freshest produce. It is stated that with the establishment of the inside market the curb market will be entirely done away with.

TO TAKE PART IN PARADE

Two Hundred Going From Here for Holy Name Celebration

SPECIAL CARS SECURED

The Charleroi delegation which will participate in the Holy Name parade to be held in Pittsburg Sunday afternoon will occupy a place in the honor division of the parade and will be one of the delegations that will get into St. Paul's Cathedral, where Bishop J. Regis Canevin of the Pittsburg diocese of the Catholic church will pronounce the benediction.

Two hundred men are expected to go from Charleroi to participate in the parade. They will travel to and from Pittsburg in special cars. C. R. Buchanan, division superintendent of the Pittsburg-Charleroi trolley line is in Pittsburg today making arrangements for the special cars Roscoe and Fayette City combined will send 100 delegates. The parade will begin at 2 o'clock promptly and it is expected that approximately 50,000 men will be in line.

Pennants and Badges Here.

The pennants and badges which will be used by the Holy Name Society of St. Jerome's church in the big parade in Pittsburg Sunday have arrived. They are at the mortuary of M. T Crowley akaiting distribution, and where the members can procure them The indications are that the Charleroi delegation will be a conspicuous one in the parade.

Dancing School.

Saturday afternoon for children, 2:30. Might's auditorium. 61-t3

Four Hundred in This Community Ready to Leave Any Time

ANXIOUS TO REPORT

Patriotic Hellenese Well Drilled to Meet Emergency of Kind Facing Them

Four hundred Moressen Greeks and the few who live in Charleroi are anxiously awaiting word from Washington in regard to the Balkan war and are ready at a moments' notice to join their country men in their fight against Turkey. At Pittsburg and Wheeling Greeks are preparing to leave for the scene of war if they are needed.

The Monessen men are all well trained and hold weekly drills under a competent commander who states that the men are eager to cross the ocean and assist in the fight. They have appeared on several occasions in uniforms and are all able bodied men drilled in the various maneuvers for war time. The Monessen organization is divided into two sections half of whom will join the navy while the other half will enlist in the army.

At a meeting last week the Monessen Greeks signified their willingness to leave on a moments notice and the local commander has received letters from Greek officials in this country ordering him to get his men ready for immeediate action. They now await word from Sofia, Bulgaria relative to war being declared. Four hundred men left Pittsburg last week and thousands of others have left various cities in the United States to join the Grecian army.

There is probably not more than a half dozen Greeks in Charleroi, all told. The shoe shine parlor on Fifth street next to Berryman's store is conducted by Greeks and the Busy Bee restaurant isalso conducted by Greeks. Patriotic and greatly concerned as to the welfare of their country, they are taking a deep interest in the reports from Greece and Bulgaria, and if their presence is demanded will go willingly.

SCHOOL FOR MINERS TO BE OPENED UP AT MONONGAHELA

Under the auspices of the Monongahela Young Men's Christian Association a mining school will be opened up at the Monongahela Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening. The course will be the same as that given students at the University of Pittsburg and the same instructor will be in charge of the work. Classes for foreign-speaking men opened Wednesday evening.

Rummage Sale.

The ladies of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a Rummage Sale, Thursday afternoon and Friday, October 10 and 11 at 317 Fifth street. 66-t2p

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A BUSINESS MAN'S PLEA.

The Philadelphia Press says that John Wanamaker demonstrates at once his restored health and his patriotic spirit in his vigorous and well-reasoned appeal to the merchants and business men of the United States. He calls on them to give a loyal and hearty support to President Taft because his re-election is for the best good of the country. The National Committee should circulate his letter far and wide, for it is the best campaign document yet furnished to it. Along this line the Press says:

"The alternative to the election of either Taft or Wilson will be according to Mr. Wanamaker, "The whirligig administration of an unbalanced President in a star-spangled robe with archangelic wings. The Bull Moose party has no attraction for this great merchant and political philosopher. He characterized their new policies as "fantastic, un-American projects that jeopardize the nation's future." Why exchange for this, he asks our present politically assured prosperity?

"The business of the country is interested in the re-election of President Taft because it will keep the rising tide of prosperity, visible on every side from being checked or turned aside. The election of Wilson means prospective tariff disturbance, a period of uncertainty and unrest and of widespread calamity to our industries should the destruction of protection to which the Democratic party is pledged be carried out by the enactment of a "revenue only" tariff law."

Hard times, a depressed market and slack demand for labor are always damaging and usually deadly to the party in power, but those are not this year's conditions; quite the reverse. There is a rising wave of prosperity, a realization of good times at the present time all over the land, with the promise of still better to come. Then why vote with a party whose success will necessitate a change? A change for what? For adversity, stagnation and general prostration. That is the only change possible, as is admirably shown in Mr. Wanamaker's clear and persuasive discussion of the vital issues in the present campaign.

UP TO THE PEOPLE.

One of the benefits of the Charleroi Marketing Club that has already been achieved is the knowledge that the high cost of living may be materially reduced if each and every individual will make the effort to cut the corners and get exactly what he or she pays for. This has been demonstrated by the talks of Mrs. J. S. Flannery, who inspired the organization of the local Marketing Club, as well as the revelations of our county sealer of weights and measures.

At the meeting of the delegates of the Marketing Clubs already organized in Pittsburg recently, it was shown that there are 5,000,000 more pounds of butter in cold storage this year than last, yet the price of butter is expected to go to its usual prohibitive prices during the winter. It is the same with eggs. The egg production was greatly increased this year, according to reports, and the cold storage supply larger than usual, yet the fancy prices will prevail just the same.

The thing for people to do under these circumstances is to cut down their consumption of these commodities. By using oleomargerine, and making a vigorous kick against the senseless tax and color restriction on this product, the people can very materially reduce their living expenses by pursuing the same tactics all along the line.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

From the kind of gowns pictures show that women wore in the days of Cleopatra, the sheath gown of then had the chorus girls' bead costume of today backed off the map.

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Read it Rapidly.

There was a young fellow named Tate,
Who dined with his girl at eight-eight
At this very late date
It is hard to relate
What Tate and his tete-a-tete ate at eight-eight.

—Exchange

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The 1920-model machines have not arrived yet, but are due in a short time.

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Why don't the typewhiter manufacturers take the hint and call their machines madels instead of Number so and so?

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It is hard on a town to have it published that it has several prosperous undertakers.

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"I'm the Progressive," roars the Colonel. "Gentlemen, I beg of you to be convinced that I am the Progressive," argues the Professor. "There is none of them that is the Progressive; I'm it," yells Deos So it goes.

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What chance has the politicians when the world's series is on?

There is a chance that the California Normal school will have to put off the inauguration of Principal Hertzog until the world's series is definitely decided.

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Emma Goldman, the woman anarchist says that the New York police force "smells to heaven." Still we read last week of a woman kissing a policeman there.

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The New York Herald doesn't seem to take the Colonel seriously and the Colonel's friends are trying to stir up fire. The Herald calls him simply the Bull Moose candidate.

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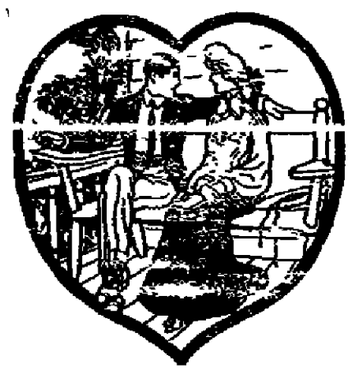
Not that it would make any difference from a political standpoint, but if Col. Roosevelt passes up Charleroi in his Monongahela valley trip, he will be stepped on good and hard.

Our Moving Picture Show



They met at the shore by chance,
Love came at the very first glance;
For a time they were parted,
And each broken-hearted,
But contrived to complete the romance.

Watch this space tomorrow

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"How about gas and water meters?" a woman asked O Evans Mikesell, county sealer of weights and measures, at the meeting of the Charleroi Marketing Club here Tuesday.

"The inspection of those measures does not come within our jurisdiction,' said Mr. Mikesell, "but they ought to be officially inspected the same as all other weights and measures. That I think is coming later on."

Mr. Mikesell urged the Marketing Club members to take early action in petitioning their assemblymen and state seenator to vote and work for more stringent and effective laws concerning weights and measures.

"If you do not," he cautioned, "some of these big interests that are effected by the proposed regulations will be early on the ground and likely have your legislative members committed to vote against our measures for votes in support of some of theirs."

A traveling man tells a story of how one time he was making a tour of the mountain districts in Tennessee. His travels brought him up at a small town through which a railroad had recently been built, and the march of progress was evidenced by a moving picture show, which was established on the only street in town in a tent. For want of something to do in the evening the traveling man dropped into the show, which was a great novelty to the natives of the community, being the first show of the kind that had ever exhibited here.

As usual, without the aid of city electric light, the picture man had all sorts of troublee. After theshow had started it stopped suddenly and there was a long wait. The audience began to grow restless and the manager came from his booth to explain.

"Ladies and gents," said he, "the derned machine's busted again! I thank you."

BACHELOR GIRLS GIVE SHOWER FOR ONE OF MEMBERS

After a brief shut down the Monessen tin mill has started up in full force. The entire suspension was for four days, including Sunday. During that time about 1,000 men were thrown out of work. As a result of the temporary shut down it was reported over the country that the shutdon was to be for months.

TIN PLATE MILL RESUMES AFTER BRIEF SHUTDOWN

Members of the Bachelor Girls' club of Charleroi tendered a miscellaneous shower to Miss Merry Brightwell at her home in Monessen Wednesday night in honor of her approaching marriage to Bert Leonard of Waynesburg. Just the members of the club were present. An enjoyable time was spent. Miss Brightwell will be the fourth member of the club to wed.

Object Achieved.

Nell—Mrs Dash used to say she wouldn't marry the best man living. Belle—Well, she has the satisfaction of knowing that she didn't.

Allies or Science.

Knicker—Think we shall ever talk to Mars? Bocker—No; if it was possible my wife would never have overlooked it.—New York Sun.

The art of a nation has its root in the national character.—H. Taine.

POLITICAL SIDELIGHTS

(Communicated.)

The Roosevelt-Wilson-Debs organ tells the voters that there are not more than 1,000 persons in the United States who know what tariff means; that Henry Temple is one of them; that Temple is a protectionist; that here in Washington there are many bankers and manufacturers who will vote for Wilson; that there is nothing in the issue known as the traiff, and that Temple is such a highly educated man that he would be an oracle in the House of Representatives on account of the scarcity of men who know in that body.

Much is said by the Washington Party adherents and friends of Mr. Temple, as to the great learning of the man. Who knows that Temple is more than ordinary in knowledge? From the statements of the Observer that there are not more than 1,000 wise men in the country, out of one hundred million, who shall we turn to to show us that Temple is one of them? Who are some of the 1,000 outside of Temple to whom the people may refer? How does the editor of the Observer know Temple is a wise man one of a 1,000 men?

If Temple is such a wonderfully wise man, why is he in Washington, Pa? Wonder he isn't in New York, or London, or Berlin, or in the employ of the Observer.

Coming right down to brass tacks, isn't it a fact that Henry Temple is no more than an average man among his neighbors around the 24th Congressional District? There are more than a score of preachers in Washington, and several hundred within the congressional district, besides a there are several hundreds, or thousands of men in the various walks of life, within the territory covering the district from which Temple would go to congress, who are just as well educated and know just as much about the world and things as he.

We care not what Temple's doctrines on the tariff are; yet we don't want to see a man who has a record for being one of those dangerous theorists on government, one who believes in the iniative, referendum and recall and various other socialistic doctrines of destruction.

We heartily agree that there are bankers in Washington who have no more knowledge of the wants of good government than the ordinary and average man. So far as the common run of those men called bankers, such as clerks, directors and cashiers and even presidents, we will concede that their knowledge of governmental subjects is very little. Who are those bankers who have formerly been Republicans and are going to vote for Wilson and Roosevelt? We know several of them ourselves, and we would gamble that they never read the Constitution of the United States, never read a single word on the subject of government, and do not have the first conception of what our representative form of democratic government means.

The unsupported allegation of the friends and admirers of Temple to the effect that he is the man to represent this district in congress, solely upon his great scholastic qualifications is no more of an argument than to say that he would make an expert blacksmith, or a qualified farmer, or a fit man to take charge of a large mercantile establishment, all because he has put in the greater portion of a long life among his books. Is it supposed that the United States Steel the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Standard Oil Company, or any other great industrial corporation would for one minute think of placing Temple in charge of their business as a man qualified to fill the important positions now filled by others?

Henry Temple is a preacher, a college professor, and nothing else.

The country has had too many political preachers. That has been the profession of such men as Roosevelt and Wilson and Bryan and not one of them have made good on a single subject of government. The country wants men who do things, and not preachers. We have had enough of preaching. We want men and not actors.

A little bunch of Temple's admirers [illegible] people of the district did not have a word to say. But in November the people will decide that they have no use for the preacher.

The "People."

In Washington, Beaver and Lawrence coun[illegible] held a convention, nominated each other for the office of Congress, and State legislature, then announced the organization of the Washington party for the district and respective counties. This group being the people, must of course rule.

A Conundrum.

Prof. Wilson voted against Bryan in 1896 and Bryan formerly and personally brought about the nomination of Wilson in 1912. There is a conundrum here, as in all Democratic affairs, and nobody knows the answer.

They Have the Itch-Phobia

If some of the Progressives in Washington county, who were formerly Republicans, office-holders or alleged Democrats, and who have been endeavoring for some years to obtain nominations and elections are not elected to something pretty soon we may expect them to lead a movement for the organization of another party within another year.

Some Progressives.

Progressive! The boy who flouts his mother and disobeys his father thinks he is a progressive. The girl who refuses to listen to discipline and thinks she knows more about the world than her parents, goes out to prove it and falls by the wayside believes she is a progressive. The clergyman who challenges his own faith because he believes in higher criticism and a new interpretation made on his own account is a progressive. The disappointed office-seeker who turns from one party to another in search of a fat job proclaims that he is a progressive. Progress, what crimes are committed in thy name.

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Express Companies Compelled to Reduce Rates, Parcels Post Law Enacted and Other Notable Progressive Policies Made Effective by Taft Without Boasting and Noise.

Dispassionate judges will accord to the Taft administration the credit of putting in force more measures of a positively progressive character than any other administration since the Civil War. Not only have such measures been numerous, but they have been of great and far-reaching importance President Taft has labored indefatigably to serve the whole people, and by means of his broad experience and rare judicial mind and having at his command legislation of the highest order he has put his progressive policies one after another into valid and practical legislation This has been done without boasting and noise Whether vindicated or not at the coming election, Mr Taft's work will stand as a chapter of achievement as brilliant as it is meritorious

We wish at this time to invite attention to two specific features of governmental progress One results of the interstate commerce commission's investigation of the express companies, resulting in the recent report ordering the companies to reduce rates and institute sweeping reforms in various directions. The other is the enactment of the Bourne parcels post bill, one of the most useful measures ever put in force in this country under any administration These two reforms, taken in connection, will exert a powerful influence for a reduction of the cost of living.

Mr. Taft has been in complete sympathy with the interstate commerce commission's inquiry into the express business a process consistent in all respects with the administration's general policy of compelling big corporations to square themselves with the law and the public interest Some of the more powerful corporations do not like that policy, but the public ought to indorse it The enactment of a parcels post law brings to fruition a plan that found indorsement in the platform upon which the president was elected Through the action of the senate the Bourne bill, looking to a parcels service at the lowest practicable rates within a given territory, was substituted for the house bill with its flat rate provisions The measure as passed probably is not perfect, nor should the rates be regarded as permanent The plan is experimental in certain respects But we believe the principle of the act is correct One of the most important aspects of this measure is its bearing on the food situation It will give consumers and producers a new medium of direct contact The interstate commerce commission's rulings respecting the express companies also make special account of this problem The express companies are required to order their business in such a manner as to give quicker service and lower rates on food products.

It is recognized by all economic investigators that one of the greatest problems related to the cost of living is that which has to do with the system of distribution. Express reforms and the parcels post will be of great value in promoting prompter and cheaper distribution of food products especially, and at the same time the scope of these measures is so comprehensive as to apply to all classes of merchandise Production, too, should be greatly stimulated by the influence thus invoked

We do not say that President Taft deserves the sole credit for these departures, but we cite them as features of an administration that some persons would have us believe is not progressive when in reality they form a logical part of a great progressive epoch which opened with the inauguration of Mr Taft and which, in the people's patriotism and good sense will be continued during four more years of the same courageous and able leadership.

Extract from Statement of Mr. Roosevelt, dated Nov. 8, 1904:

"On the 4th day of March next I shall have served three and one-half years, and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

"What Washington would not take, and Grant could not get, no man shall have"

MR. WILSON'S APOLOGY.

Afraid to Publish What He Said About Union Labor and Immigrants.

The so called Wilson defense bureau has issued a long statement to the effect that Woodrow Wilson's published opinions in his books on the alleged inferiority of European immigrants and American workingmen generally to the Chinese and favorable Chinese immigration, etc., have been "misinterpreted"

There is one ready and complete reply to misinterpretation, and that is to republish what Wilson said to let him speak for himself This the Wilson defense bureau of the Democratic national committee carefully refrains from doing, and neither Wilson nor his apologists, therefore, can blame American workingmen in general and European immigrants in particular for concluding that Wilson meant just what his language meant when he expressed his bad opinion of trades unions and his preference for Chinese over Europeans

Two Ways to View It.

Giles—Take two letters from "money" and "one" will be left.

Miles—Is that a joke?

Giles—Yes

Miles—Well, I know of a fellow who took money from two letters, and it was no joke. He got twelve months in jail.

Where?

Artist—This is my painting, "Youth in the Melon Patch."

Critic—But where are the melons?

Artist—What a folish question!

"The virtue of the sober second thought" mentioned by President Taft in his speech at Parramatta as being the possession of the American people is getting more and more in evidence.

No one accuses the Democratic convention in New Jersey of being unbossed.

PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION CLOSES OCT. 19 WITH HERBERT ORCHESTRA

Premier Musical Attraction For Farewell Week

Victor Herbert, one of the most popular orchestra conductors in America, and whose operas and other compositions have made him a lasting place in the affection of the music loving people of the country, is to conduct the musical attraction at the Pittsburgh Exposition during the closing week of the season, which is the week of Oct. 14. With Mr. Herbert will be his own great symphony orchestra, and combined the man and the organization present to the Exposition audiences one of the most pleasing and attractive of all the features of the present notable season at the Point as well as in all of its history. It will be a season of Herbert music and compositions, given under Herbert and with his own orchestra. It is a rare and unusual treat and promises to be a delightful experience for the tens of thousands who will gather during the last days of this Exposition.

The twenty-fourth annual season of *the Exposition is showing itself to be* one of the most successful in the history of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition society. It has drawn larger numbers of people and has given to the people a higher class of exhibits and attractions than any prior year. The educational and entertaining exhibits have been broader in scope and more beneficial to the average spectator than other seasons because the exhibits have come from societies and commissions engaged in the great work of improving human conditions of life and have therefore appealed more strongly to the interest of the visitors. The Titanic disaster, one of the most remarkable spectacular productions of the year, has drawn thousands to Machinery hall. The war department display, the civic organizations and city development as shown have been making a profound impression But above all has been the musical attractions, which have never been excelled. And as a crowning event Herbert and his great orchestra appear with the best and brightest of American music and rendered with American spirit and inspiration.

All of the programs for the Herbert series of concerts have been arranged with care and with the master hand of the Composer-Conductor plainly seen in them. Herbert thrills and charms and lulls his auditors and sways the thousands from one mood to another all unconsciously but delightfully. His series of concerts will be the most appealing of all and with the unusual attractions offered in addition the final week at the Exposition bids fair to be the greatest of a great season in point of attendance and in the features that absorb interest. The Exposition closes for the season on Saturday evening, Oct. 19.

The Other Side.

"Do you think a little learning is a dangerous thing?"

"Possibly. But it isn't half so dangerous as the same amount of ignorance."—Detroit Free Press.

Obvious.

Bessie—Wonder if Maude knows that we are looking at her new gown? Jessie—Certainly What do you suppose she is walking down this street for? Philadelphia Telegraph.

Softening His Joy.

Client—So the jury gave me $5,000! That's great, eh? Lawyer—Yes, it's a big boy. You don't know how [illegible] awarded it.—Life.

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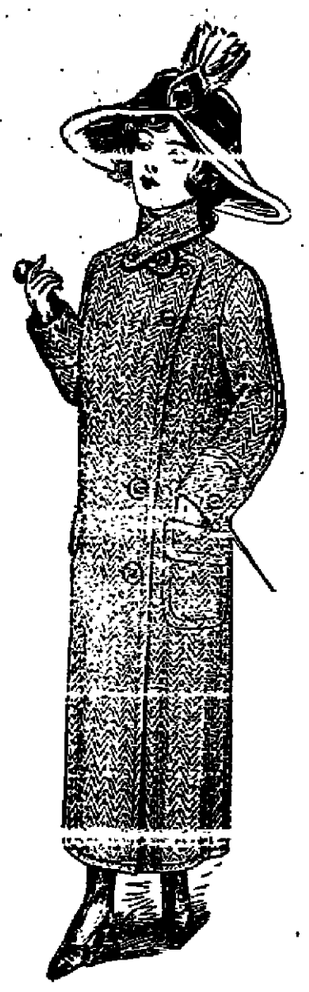

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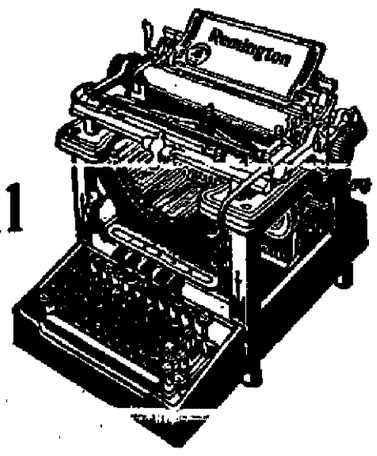

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FLOATING A TOWN AWAY.

Story of the Origin of Commercial Street in Provincetown.

Commercial street in Provincetown had an origin in keeping with its present nautical air and appeal to the imagination. The town originally stood on the spit of sand far out across the harbor, where the lighthouse now is. Many years ago the government bought Provincetown, houses and all, in order to protect the harbor from the threatening sea. The Provincetownians went to the government people and asked what they were going to do with the houses.

"Pull 'em down, of course," said the government.

"Can't we have 'em?" inquired the late owners.

"Sure," replied the government, "if you'll take 'em away."

"Sure!" echoed the Provincetownians.

Old wreckers that they were, they applied their technic to the problems of house moving. They bulkheaded their dwellings up, necklaced empty casks about them in the way of life preservers, and one sunny morning the village of Provincetown, true to its maritime traditions, set sail, schoolhouse and all, and came floating gayly across the harbor to where it now stands. Near the railway track today they point out a certain store as the original seafaring schoolhouse.—Metropolitan Magazine.

THE CURIOUS SNAIL.

This Creature Can Live Without Air, Water or Nourishment.

While the snail has lungs, heart and a general circulation and is in every respect an air breathing creature, it can nevertheless exist indefinitely without inhaling the least breath of air, the element that is usually considered the essential to existence in all creatures supplied with lungs.

"To all organized creatures," said Leppert, "the removal of oxygen, water, nourishment and heat causes death to ensue." When that statement was made Leppert did not appear to consider the snail as one among the great host of "organized beings," for experiments by Spallanzani have proved that any or all the usual life conditions can be removed in the case of the snail without terminating its existence or in any way impairing its functions.

The common snail retreats into his shell on the approach of frosty weather, and the opening or mouth of its shell is hermetically sealed by a secretion which is of a silky texture and absolutely impervious to air and water. In this condition it is plain that it is deprived of three of the four elements of life mentioned above—air, water and nourishment.—Harper's Weekly.

Statue With Umbrella.

Some poor art is to be seen in this country in the shape of statues dedicated to the memory of great men, but no American enormity in this line quite equals that which was perpetrated by an English sculptor for the town of Reading. When the fellow townsmen of a certain George Palmer of that place decided to honor his memory they determined upon a bronze statue of Palmer, which should be not merely a portrait as to features, but a correct presentment of him as he appeared among them every day. Accordingly the stranger in Reading is startled by the most unconventional of statues, with every crease and wrinkle of the homely attire of the original reproduced. To complete the effect the statue is bareheaded, with silk hat and umbrella in hand. It is thought that this is the only instance in which the necessary but not entirely beautiful umbrella has been reproduced in bronze.—New York Sun.

He Fooled Her.

"If you were asked to get ready to start next Thursday on a long journey do you think you could do so?" asked her rich employer, who was a widower.

"Oh, I—much would depend upon the kind of journey it was to be," she replied.

"I mean a pleasant journey—a journey that would last for a month or more."

"And should I have company on the journey?"

"Well, I hadn't thought of that. No, I don't believe you would. I should expect you to go alone."

"Then I don't believe I could get ready," she said turning to her typewriter and making four mistakes in the first line of the letter she had begun.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Melody Becomes Malady.

That persons have very diverse ideas and tastes in music was exemplified in an incident at a pupils' vocal recital lately. A young woman was having quite a struggle with a song and one woman in the audience said to her companion:

"Isn't that a beautiful melody?"

The other looked bored and said:

"It sounds more like a malady to me."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Making Her Comfortable.

Host's Youngest—Don't your shoes feel very uncomfortable when you walk, Mrs. Newryche? Mrs. Newryche—Dear me, what an extraordinary question! Why do you ask, child? Youngster (who only 'eos pa said the other day since you'd come into your money you'd got far too big for your boots.

In the Hall of Fame.

"His father is in the hall of fame."

"Why, I didn't know the old gentleman was dead."

"Have to be dead to be in there?"

"Sure."

"Well, he is only in there dusting the busts."

A LITERARY RIDDLE.

Who Was It Wrote the Tragedy of "Troilus and Cressida?"

Andrew Lang has just propounded a puzzle in circumstantial evidence. "Who," he asks, "wrote 'Troilus and Cressida?'" You may answer, as you please, Shakespeare or Bacon. If you answer Bacon, Andrew Lang comes back with the query, "Would Bacon have said that Aristotle lived before the Trojan war?" Bacon was too learned a man to make such a mistake, which would be as bad as placing *Abraham Lincoln among the signers* of the Declaration of Independence.

If you answer Shakespeare, Andrew Lang shoots another query at you: "The author makes Ulysses and Achilles quote 'an author' and discuss a pretty long and strange passage from that author, who was Plato. How could Shakespeare have read Plato?" For Shakespeare knew no Greek, and in his day Plato had not yet been translated into English.

It is quite conceivable that Shakespeare might imagine that Plato and Aristotle lived many centuries before Homer, but it is inconceivable that the erudite Bacon should fall into such an error.

Andrew Lang does not pretend to solve the riddle. He frankly says, "I give it up."—New York World.

RISKY POSTAL SERVICE.

In Russia the Government Opens All Suspicious Packages.

Our own service of mails is well organized. There is little doubt in the mind of the average person that when he posts a letter it will reach its destination.

But in other lands he might well fear for its safety. In Russia, for instance, any letter or parcel that is regarded with suspicion is immediately opened and its contents noted. A clever machine gums it up again, so that the recipient does not know that it has been tampered with.

In Lapland the mails are carried in sledges drawn by reindeers. In the wilds of the Caucasus the postman holds a post of danger. He must be *protected against brigands and against* the weather, for he often has to climb mountains more than 12,000 feet high.

Asiatic Russia, which is apt to be marshy, has the buffalo post, and, of course, the progress made is very slow. Buffaloes are more powerful than oxen, and they are also used in Siberia for carrying the mail.

Other postmen in foreign lands are the swimming postman of India and the skiing letter carrier of the Andes. For the latter place the Argentine government specially imports Norwegians.—Exchange.

Mexico's Smoking Mountain.

In 1897 I climbed two volcanoes in Mexico, Popocatepetl, or "the smoking mountain," about 17,800 feet, and Orizaba, the former the most famous because within view from Mexico City and thus a source of especial pride and admiration to the inhabitants, who have been loath to believe that any other of their mountains could be higher. Popo has a really splendid crater about half a mile across and 1,000 feet deep. The walls are generally vertical, but in one or two places it is possible to descend. When workers are engaged in collecting sulphur machinery is used to hoist them up and down. From Popo's summit there is a glorious prospect, not alone of the immense crater, but of the beautiful "White Lady" Iztaccihuatl reclining a thousand feet below, of Orizaba on the far horizon and of the charming valley of Mexico.—Annie S. Peck in Christian Herald.

Wellington's Integrity.

The Duke of Wellington was noted for his rigid integrity. Here is an instance which occurred in reference to his large estate. Some farm adjoining his lands was for sale, and his agent negotiated for him for the purchase. Having concluded the business, he went to the duke and told him he had made a capital bargain. "What do you mean?" asked the duke. "Why, your grace, I have got the farm for so much, and I know it to be worth at least so much more." "Are you quite sure of that?" "Quite sure, your grace, for I have carefully surveyed it." "Very well, then; pay the gentleman from me the balance between what you have already given and the real value of the estate."

Strong Circumstantial Evidence.

A young wife was in tears a few mornings ago when her mother called. When asked what was the matter she replied that her husband was out late the night before and had been to a drinking party.

"What makes you think he had been to a drinking party?" asked the mother.

"He came home," sobbed the young wife, "wearing a phonograph horn for a hat."—Kansas City Star.

More Careful Now.

The young wife had given her husband a dance. "You've improved wonderfully, Jack," she said as they sat down. "Don't you remember how you used to tear my dress?"

"Yes," he replied. "I wasn't buying them then."—Boston Transcript.

Barks.

The class in natural history being asked the difference between a dog and a tree, the [illegible] is covered with bark, while a dog seems to be lined with it.

Noisy Sleep.

Hub (angrily) Here. What do you mean by waking me out of a sound sleep? Wife Because the sound was too distressing. Boston Transcript.

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Society and Personal

(The Mail is anxious to publish all items of local interest, such as accounts of parties, entertainments or the like in this column and invites its readers to hand in notes of such. Names of those present at various functions will be published to a limited number. Personals are especially desired. More important items will be given under special head.)

Mrs. C. S. Bliss of Washington avenue has returned from a visit with relatives at Rochester.

Mrs. J. Frew has gone to Connellsville to visit.

Mrs. Kate Leyda has gone to Uniontown to visit.

Wesley Henry has returned from a vacation visit in various points of Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cornell and daughter spent Wednesday in Pittsburg.

Miss Jessie Everhart visited Miss Lulu Trew in California Wednesday night.

Mrs. A. J. Hormell has returned to her home in Astabula, Ohio, after a visit here at the home of her father B. L. Parsons.

R. D. Liddell, of Montreal, Can., is spending a few days in Charleroi visiting friends. Mr. Liddell is a hockey player of note, and played with the D. A. C. team of Pittsburg five years ago.

The ladies of the Charleroi Turn Verein will give a social dance in the hall on Saturday evening. The affair is for members only, and is not public. It is one of the pleasant social diversions which the society gives from time to time for the recreation of the members and their families during the fall and winter social season.

Mrs. Pauline Mason of Brownsville is here today to visit her daughter, Mrs. William Milliken.

W. H. Milliken transacted buiness in Brownsville today.

Mrs. George S. Might and son Fremont have gone to Scottdale to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Holyfield and mother Mrs. S. Couchenour visited friends in Donora today.

Mrs. Hiram Hannen and daughter Miss Ruth spent today in Donora visiting friends.

CARELESS? THEN LOOK FOR THEFT

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everything plain while they themselves are invisible. A survey of the dining room in particular while the family is at the evening meal is particularly valuable to crooks, because the whole family is usually assembled, and the would-be burglar can note the number, how many men there are, and size up the situation as to which are likely to have the most money with them or about their rooms. Very often money is taken out and counted or pay envelopes divided at the evening meal, which may be observed by an outsider if the shades are not drawn.

"If people would take more precautions it would materially reduce the number of attempts at burglary. As a rule thieves do not care to venture into unknown territory, and they do not so often molest houses about which they know nothing, or how many inmates there may be inside. The police here cannot patrol all parts of the town at once, and it is perfectly easy for a couple of crooks to operate safely by watching the policeman on his rounds."

Chief Albright and his force are keeping close tab on all suspicious characters that are about town. Some extra precautions on the part of the residents will discourage these midnight forays which are being pulled off because of the easy facilities afforded by lack of precautions.

LOVER

Miss Margaret Hyatt is attending high school at Brownsville spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Carson entertained a large crowd of young folks at a party at their home Saturday evening.

A. J. Shutt of Charleroi was a business caller here Saturday.

Miss Helen Sphar who is attending school at the California Normal spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sphar.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Duvall spent Sunday at the home of T. R. Duvall.

Samuel Morris and family near Garwood spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Curt Pitzer.

Adrah daughter of I. N. Morris is ill.

Mrs. Frank Hopewell has returned home from a few days' visit with her daughter Mrs. Jesse Lewis near Beallsville.

Miss Kate Mancha and Perry Morrow of Scenery Mill were Sunday guests of their cousin, Mrs. I. E. Morris.

Mrs. Laura Dickey and daughters, Misses Mary and Emaline and Misses Alice and Edna Jacobs near Curtin school house and Miss Vada Rider spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coulter.

Blaine Duvall, who has been ill of fever but had so far recoveered as to be able to be out was taken ill again Tuesday and is now in bed again but it is hoped it will only be for a few days.

You May Talk to One Man

But an advertisement in this paper talks to the whole community

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Classified Ads.

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WANTED—Three or four room flat. Address Manown, Mail office. 67-tf

WANTED—Boy between 15 and 17 years old to learn drug business. Good wages. Apply Brown's Pharmacy, Belle Vernon, Pa. 61-tf

WANTED—At once, woman to take charge of the cleaning in Theatre. Good wages. Apply Mail. 59-tf

FOR SALE—Trespass signs. Prepared according to law, and contain copy of trespass law. Call at Mail office. 313-tf

FOR RENT—Nice light and airy furnished room. Good locality. Apply XX Mail office. 92tfp

WANTED—Young lady for office work. Prefer one living in Charleroi. Make application in own hand-writing and send to S. P., Mail office. 64tf